SHIMOGA CIVIL HOSPITAL.

1. Notice is hereby given that sealed tenders will be received up to Monday, 23rd December 1907, by the District Medical and Sanitary Officer, Shimoga, for the supply of provisions for the Civil Hospital, Shimoga, from 1st January to 31st December 1908, both days inclusive.

2. No tenders will be received after the date above mentioned.

3. Tenders should be superscribed "tenders for the supply of provisions for the Civil Hospital, Shimoga."

4. No tenders will be received unless accompanied by a deposit of Rs. 50 in cash, currency notes, or Government bonds.

5. Tenders will be opened by the District Medical and Sanitary Officer at the Civil Hospital, Shimoga, on Monday, 23rd December 1907, in the presence of such tenderers as may choose to attend, at 8 A.M. Forms on which tenders are to be submitted, may be obtained from the District Medical and Sanitary Officer, Shimoga.

6. The District Medical and Sanitary Officer reserves to himself the right of rejecting any tender without assigning any reason for so doing.

7. The deposit of the successful competitor will be retained and will be forfeited if he fails to execute the contract bond or to furnish security to the amount of Rs. 100 in cash or Government bonds within three days from the date of the acceptance of his contract.

8. No advance of cash will be made to the contractor. Payments for the articles supplied will be made by the District Medical and Sanitary Officer or in his absence the Sub-Assistant Surgeon, as soon as possible after the 1st of each month.

9. The contractor must submit his bills in English or Kanarese for the cost of all articles supplied, with calculations correctly made, by the 9th of each month. Persons who are unable to do this need not compete.

10. A store-room will be made over to the contractor, in which he can keep all non-perishable articles, perishable articles such as meat, tyre, etc., should be at the Civil Hospital by 8 A.M. at the latest daily. All articles condemned should be replaced within an hour; if not, the articles may be purchased by the District Medical and Sanitary Officer in the bazaar, and the contractor compelled to pay for them at bazaar rates as well as defray cost of transit, etc. The contingent articles should be supplied within twenty-four hours after the receipt of the order.

11. The store-room should be equipped with non-perishable articles which would suffice for at least a week's use.

12. The contract must not be sublet.

13. A fine not exceeding Rs. 10 will be levied at the discretion of the District Medical and Sanitary Officer, for every infringement of the stipulation of the contract or for the supply of any inferior articles, and if the stipulation of the contract be frequently violated, the contract will be annulled and the security confiscated to Government.

14. The decision of the District Medical and Sanitary Officer or of the Sub-Assistant Surgeon in his absence, will be final on all questions of the infringement of the contract.

15. The sales at the contractor's room of any article to outside public is strictly prohibited.

16. The contract will be subject to confirmation by the Senior Surgeon and Sanitary Commissioner, Mysore Government, who reserves to himself the right of rejecting all or any of the tenders.

List of diet and other articles with probable quantities required from 1st January to 31st December 1908, for the use of the Civil Hospital, Shimoga: —

Articles	Probable quantity	Articles	Probable quantity
Full Diets (Natives).	200	*Full Diets (Natives)*—concld.	
Composition—			oz.
	oz.	Garlic	$\frac{1}{64}$
Rice	20	Tyre	$\frac{1}{4}$
Dhall	1		
Ghee	$\frac{1}{2}$	*Milk Diets.*	
Curry powder	$\frac{3}{32}$	Composition—	
Vegetables	6		oz.
Mutton	4	Rice	14
Firewood	24	Milk	40
Salt	1	Sugar	2
Onions	$\frac{1}{2}$	Firewood	20
Tamarind	$\frac{1}{2}$	Sooji	$7\frac{1}{2}$
		Salt	$\frac{1}{4}$

Articles		Probable quantity
Half Diets.		
Composition—	oz.	
Rice	16	
Dhall	1	
Firewood	24	
Ghee	½	
Curry powder	⅜	
Vegetables	6	
Salt	⅛	
Onions	½	
Mutton	4	
Tamarind	½	
Garlic	1/64	
Tyre	4	
Articles for Extra Diets.		
Milk	pints	2,500
Coffee	oz.	300
Bread	lbs.	800
Sugar	oz.	2,500
Rice	lbs.	1,000
Ghee	„	10
Mutton	„	350
Sooji	„	500
Eggs	No.	500
Pepper	oz.	10
Garlic	„	50
Limes	lbs.	50
Barley	„	5
Firewood	„	1,000
Arrowroot	„	4
Dhall	„	15
Tyre	„	5
Chicken	No.	50
Soda	bottles	30
Plantains	No.	100
Brand's essence of chicken	tins	12
Fanopepton	bottles	12
Wines and Spirits.		
Brandy	bottles	20
Arrack	„	20
Hospital Necessaries.		
Baskets	No.	20
Brooms	„	30
Chatties	„	20
Pots	„	30
Chimney glasses	„	15
Chunam	seers	200
Cotton	lbs.	50
Kerosene oil	bottles	800

Articles		Probable quantity
Hospital Necessaries.—concld.		
Lamp wick, large	yards	10
Do small	„	15
Match boxes	No.	50
Mullays	„	300
Tar	lbs.	25
Bandage cloth	yards	500
Dressing cloth	„	200
Long cloth	„	50
Gingelly oil	bottles	60
Country soap	lbs.	30
Europe soap	cakes	36
French polish	bottles	5
Country Medicines.		
Alum	lbs.	5
Camphor	„	10
Chiretta	„	30
Potass nitras	„	12
Senna leaves	„	4
Sulphur	„	18
Ginger	„	4
Gum	„	15
Ammon chloridum	„	22
Ferri sulphas	„	5
Straw bundles	No.	50
Empty bottles	„	100
Bamboo mats	„	2
Goa paper	qrs.	10
Cover paper	„	15
Nibs	No.	20
Pencils	„	5
Foolscap paper	qrs.	2
Coir rope	No.	5
Cupri sulphas	lbs.	1
Mustard	bottles	6
Ragi flour	lbs.	20
Asafœtida	„	1
Dusters	No.	30
Dungry cloth	yards	40
Vinegar	bottles	5
Soapnut	seers	2
Borax	lbs.	2
Pin sheets	No.	6
Coir rope, small	„	6
Benzoin	seers	1
Bratties basketful	No.	5
Cubebs	lbs.	2
Wall lamps with glasses	No.	4
Sealing wax, sticks	„	5
Brass padlocks	„	5
Iron do	„	5
Hurricane lanterns	„	3

N. B.—European diet scale is omitted, as there has not been much demand for the same during the past twelve months or so. It has to be substituted for sooji or rice or both, if any patient desires it.

The rate of each of the articles constituting the several diets mentioned above should also be given, milk in imperial pints per rupee, and other articles in pounds and ounces per rupee. Milk to be freshly drawn in the Hospital if practicable and to be tested with the Lactometer and by other tests, if necessary, and approved by the Medical Officer.

MAHOMED USMAN,
Dist. Medl. & Sany. Officer.